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BUSINESSES, RESIDENTS INVITED TO FREE DOWNTOWN GLENDALE BUSINESS INFORMATION FAIR MONDAY, MAY 15

GLENDALE, Ariz. - Business owners, developers and interested residents are invited to attend a free Downtown Glendale Business Information Fair from 6 – 8 p.m. Monday, May 15 to learn about current and future projects in downtown Glendale and other parts of the city.

The event will be held at the Glendale Civic Center, 5750 W. Glenn Drive (one block north of Glendale Avenue).

The information fair, which has been hosted for the past three years by Glendale Councilmember David Goulet, provides attendees with the opportunity to speak directly with representatives from local businesses, Valley organizations and city departments.

"This event is a great way for us to inform the business community and others on all the development activity taking place in our downtown," said Goulet. "There are several exciting projects planned over the next couple years that will spur additional development in the area."

Some of these downtown projects include new residential housing and office/retail developments, a proposed dining district, a new parking structure and the Grand Avenue improvement project.

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Representatives from the following businesses and organizations will be on hand to provide information and answer questions: Glendale Chamber of Commerce, Downtown Development Corporation, Phoenix Coyotes, Vanguard City Homes, The Bead Museum, Glenn Condominiums, Orchard Glen Weed & Seed, Habitat for Humanity, Kimley-Horn & Associates and Godec & Associates.

Staff from the Glendale Police, Fire, Economic Development, Special Events, Tourism, Parks & Recreation, Library, Code Compliance, Transportation, Building Safety, Planning and Community Partnerships departments will also be at the information fair.

For more information, call 623-930-2250.

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